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and 09/684,269. Since priority is claimed in the instant application to Serial Nos. 10/376,808 and 09/684,269, copies of the references are not being supplied herewith under the authority of 37 C.F.R. §1.98(d). No admission is made that the cited art represents the prior art or that the cited art is the most material art.

The Examiner is urged to consider the cited references listed on the attached form PTO-1449, and to make an independent decision with respect to their materiality.

It is submitted that the cited references do not disclose or render obvious the subject matter claimed in the present application.

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	B.R	Curtis Tractor Cab, Inc., CURTIS Truck Snow Plows SNO-PRO® 3000 HITCH-N-RUN SYSTEM™, Brochure, 2000					
	B.S	Hiniker Company, HINIKER PLOWS Quick Hitch MOUNTING SYSTEM, Brochure, 1996					
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	H.G	5	1	1	1	6	0	3	05/12/92	Knowlton et al				08/29/90
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	J.H	5	9	2	4	2	2	3	07/20/99	Hone, Jr.				06/11/98
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	J.J	6	1	7	8	6	6	9	01/30/01	Quenzi et al				02/03/99
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